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Application No. : 10/537,783) Ex: Joshua Zimmerman
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For : METHODS FOR CONTROLLING BOTH)
A FIRST ROLLER, WHICH TAKES UP A)
DAMPENING AGENT FROM A)
DAMPENING AGENT SOURCE, AS)
WELL AS A SECOND ROLLER, AND)
DAMPENING SYSTEMS)

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(d), the material set forth on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08a is brought to the attention of the Examiner. The fee of \$180 in accordance with 37 CFR 1.17(p) is being paid by credit card.

Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. An Office Action was issued by the Japanese Patent Office in a counterpart Japanese patent application on July 29, 2009. A copy of that Office Action is enclosed.

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JP-1232045 is accompanied by an English language abstract which was obtained from a commercial database.

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The Japanese Office Action of July 29, 2009 also cited JP 56-11257. That document was brought to the attention of the Examiner in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed November 13, 2008 in the subject U.S. patent application.

Entry of these materials into the file of the subject U.S. patent application, and their consideration by the Examiner, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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